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Case No. 7103-30-1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Homayoun Talieh et al.

Serial No:

08/853,323

Filed:

May 8, 1977

For: LINEAR POLISHER AND

METHOD FOR

SEMICONDUCTOR WAFER

PLANARIZATION

Examiner: G. Nguyne

Group Art Unit: 3723

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated September 21, 1999 for a period of two month(s).

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	a small entity, verified statement is:
	attached
	already filed

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	Extension <u>Months</u>	Other Than Small Entity	Small Entity
	One Month Two Months	\$110 \$380	\$55 \$100
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\square	Three Months	\$870	\$435
	Four Months	\$1,360	\$680
	Five Months	\$1,850	\$925

Fee Payment

\bowtie	Attached is a check for <u>380</u> for the Petition fee.
	Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this
	Petition is attached.
\boxtimes	Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit
	Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: February 22, 2000

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